Certificates in Criminal Cases.

212. *MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have prescribed any forms for issuing wound certificates in criminal cases; and

(*b*) if so, whether such forms are used by the grant-in-aid hospitals?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No.

Third Form Examination Fee.

213. *MR. G. VELU PILLAI (*Karunagapally* cum *Kartikapally*): Will the Government be pleased to state the total amount collected this year as examination fee from the third form students?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: Rs. 30,999-14-0.

Legislative Library.

214. *MR. G. VELU PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to state the number of new books purchased in the Legislative Library in 1114 and 1115 respectively and the amounts spent for the same in each year?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR:

Year.	*No. of new books purchased.*	*Amount spent.*		
		Rs.	ch.	c.
1114	109	967	21	4
1115	185	1,311	27	10

Buses on charcoal gas.

215. *MR. G. VELU PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the results of the experiment to run buses on charcoal gas; and

(*b*) the scope of it being used on a commercial scale?

MR. E. G. SALTER: (*a*) A new type of charcoal gas generator has been designed and fitted in a bus which is now in regular service. Very satisfactory results are noted.

(*b*) It is proposed to manufacture producers on a large scale after watching the working of the above bus for a few days to ascertain whether any material modification is necessary.

Reduction of fares in the State Transport.

216. *MR. G. VELU PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the lines in which the State Transport fare is reduced; and

(*b*) what the present reduced fares in those lines are?

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MR. E G. SALTER :

(*a*) 1. Trivandrum-Nagercoil
2. Trivandrum-Vizhinjam
3. Nagercoil-Colachel
4. Trivandrum-Nedumangad
5. Nagercoil-Cape Comorin
6. Nagercoil-Azhakiapandipuram
7. Kottayam-Kottarakara

(*b*) Approximately eight cash per mile.

Appointments by the Director of Public Instruction.

217 *MR. THARIATHU KUNJITHOMMEN: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by caste, of the persons appointed by the Director of Public Instruction in short vacancies during the two years ending with the 1st Dhanu 1116 ?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: A *statement, by caste, of the persons appointed in short vacancies in the Office of the Director of Public Instruction during the two years ending with the 1st Dhanu 1116 is laid on the table.

Appointments by the Surgeon-General.

218 *MR. THARIATHU KUNJITHOMMEN: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by caste, of the persons appointed by the Surgeon-General in short vacancies during the two years ending with the 1st Dhanu 1116 ?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR: A † statement containing the information is laid on the table.

Appointments in the High Court.

219 *MR. THARIATHU KUNJITHOMMEN: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by caste:

(*a*) of the clerks, and

(*b*) of the peons

appointed by the High Court in short vacancies during the two years ending with the 1st Dhanu 1116?

MR. PUTHUPALLY S. KRISHNA PILLAI: The ‡statement is laid on the table.

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*. *Vide* Appendix XVI page 247.

†*Vide* Appendix XVII page 248.

‡Vide Appendix XVIII page 249.

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